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**In re the Application of:
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**For: HIV-1 VIRION MATURATION
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TREATMENTS USING THE SAME**

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TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97

37 CFR § 1.97(b)

- ☒ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing date of a national application other than a continued prosecution application under § 1.53(d); within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in § 1.491 in an international application; before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits; or before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a request for continued examination under § 1.114.

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- ☐ Applicant requests that the Examiner consider the following copending applications:

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- ☐ Copies of these copending applications are enclosed.
- ☒ Applicant hereby requests consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08, submitted herewith. Copies of the cited references, except as noted below, are enclosed.
- ☐ This application is a continuation, divisional or continuation-in-part of Serial No. [REDACTED]. Copies of the cited references, if not enclosed, are available in the file of the parent application or parents thereof.
- ☒ Copies of U.S. Patents and U.S. Patent Application Publications are not enclosed. (waiver of 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2)(iii) pursuant to 37 CFR 1.183).
- ☐ Applicant hereby requests consideration of the enclosed International Search Report, which was received in a related international patent application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, including any fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 500329. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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